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Spring  
Offerings of  
IRIS  
ROSES  
CANNAS  
DAHLIAS  
GLADIOLUS  
PERENNIALS

# 1935 Springtime Greetings to My Garden-Loving Friends



**M**AY the coming spring and summer season bring you much happiness, good health, good luck, new friends and many fine flowers; and may fortune smile upon you throughout the year and for many years to come. That is my wish to all of my friends for 1935.

If the plants and bulbs that I have sent out in the past have had some part in bringing added happiness to the recipients, and certainly that is what fine flowers are intended to do, it also brings me much happiness to realize that I am engaged in the business of spreading sunshine throughout the world; for my plants are shipped annually to every nook and corner of the globe. Gardening is one of life's greatest tonics and those who have tried it know that nothing pays greater dividends in good health and good cheer. So my hope is that you will get the greatest possible good out of your garden this year, that new flowers may bring you new joys and new hopes.

Those who have known me only as an Iris Specialist may not be aware that I have wide experience in gardening, that while I have been making a special study of the Iris, I have also been growing and studying almost every other kind of flower and am prepared to supply garden lovers with a wide range of the world's choicest plants and bulbs at attractive prices. My fine Irises are famed the world over and my other fine plants and bulbs are of equally high quality.

As a result of the confidence established through many years of conscientious effort to furnish my customers with only the finest quality of bulbs and plants, my business has grown to large proportions, the year 1934 having passed all previous records in point of sales. My business has been built upon a foundation of quality, and I never offer anything for sale until I am able to offer the best. Therefore you can close your eyes and order anything from my catalogues with the assurance that you will be pleased. The collections I offer are selected with such great care that it would be difficult to improve upon them.

With this booklet I return to the use of natural color illustrations, which my older customers have missed during recent years. This free use of color indicates my confidence in returning good times. While the use of the finest color illustrations can give only a faint idea of the great beauty of these lovely flowers, these illustrations do afford you some opportunity to visualize the amazingly handsome flowers you can produce from plants and bulbs bought from me. Everything I ship will be of full flowering size, sound, plump, healthy, vigorous and full of pep, superb quality, the best obtainable at any price; and of course everything is guaranteed by me to be true to name.

All Collections, and all orders of \$2.00 or over, will be delivered anywhere in the United States, CHARGES PREPAID. On smaller orders please add 15c to cover postage and packing.

COMPLETE CULTURAL DIRECTIONS ACCOMPANY ALL SHIPMENTS.

*Robert Weyman*

# "Century of Progress" Collection of Finest Exhibition Gladiolus

## Bulbs From My Gorgeous Exhibition Planting at the World's Fair Grounds in Chicago

Last spring I was invited to make an exhibition planting of Gladiolus at the Chicago "Century of Progress" Exposition. Plantings were made in different parts of the grounds and they were one of the attractions of The World's Fair. If you visited the Exposition last summer, you probably marvelled at the beauty of these magnificent flowers.

I offer, in this "Century of Progress" Collection, the identical bulbs that were grown by me at The Century of Progress Exhibit. They are all magnificent flowering size bulbs, and clean healthy stock. Every variety included in this collection has been given a very high rating by the members of The American Gladiolus Society. Together they run the entire gamut of colors—golden yellow, rose, lavender, salmon, scarlet, white, purple, red-orange, gray, crimson, lilac, pink, violet, blue, etc. all colors mixed together in a uniform blend, unlabelled. I guarantee that each collection will contain every variety that I exhibited at the Century of Progress.

This is a splendid collection for mass planting in the garden or for cut flowers. It is one of the finest collections I have ever offered and I am sure it is the finest mixed collection ever offered by any grower. It is an unheard of gladiolus bargain. Think of growing in your own garden the very bulbs that were used for show purposes at the famous "Century of Progress" Exhibition.

Order as many collections as you can find room for. Make a planting every two weeks and have a continuous succession of flowers all summer long, for cutting and also for garden display. If you do not have room for 100, get your neighbor to join with you, but 100 Gladiolus require only a bed 3 by 4 feet. Many gardens have room for several collections.

### NOTHING EASIER TO GROW

There is nothing easier to grow, or more satisfactory than Gladiolus. Just put them in the ground and await results. Plant them anywhere, in clumps, in beds or in rows; or fill in the unused spots in your garden. These superb flowers will add a magical spot of color wherever you put them. Each package will contain a pamphlet telling "How to grow fine Gladiolus."

**"Century of Progress" Collection**  
**100 Large, Flowering-Size Gladiolus Bulbs, \$2.75**  
**400 Bulbs for \$10.00**

Shipped Postpaid Anywhere in the United States.







**MINUET—First Prize Winner:** This beautiful Gladiolus was Awarded First Prize by the American Gladiolus Society in 1931 and again in 1932. In the latest symposium of the American Gladiolus Society, it was second only to the famous new variety Picardy. Large flowers on strong, tall spikes. Perfect in every way. See page 5 for prices.

# The World's 15 Best Gladiolus

These 15 Varieties Received the Highest Votes of the American Gladiolus Society in the Latest Ballot. There are no Finer Varieties in the World than these 15 Varieties.

Out of thousands of varieties voted upon by the entire membership of the American Gladiolus Society, Picardy received the greatest number of votes and has been proclaimed The World's Finest Gladiolus; Minuet received the second largest number of votes, etc. The 15 varieties that received the 15 highest votes are listed below in the order of merit, according to the number of votes received.

When the membership of the American Gladiolus Society, consisting of the country's leading professional growers, breeders and Gladiolus enthusiasts, give these 15 varieties the greatest number of votes, it is obvious that these 15 varieties are the last word in Gladiolus excellence. They are all of outstanding merit, large flowers, of magnificent form, texture and color, with many flowers open on a stalk at once, some of the individual florets measuring six to seven inches across. Each is the finest of its class. They carry off all the prizes wherever they are shown. And so, if you wish to have a collection of Gladiolus that will be the sensation of your community, either on the show bench or in the garden, this is your opportunity.

When I say that the 15 varieties described below are the "World's Best," I am not merely expressing a personal opinion. This is the seasoned judgment of the members of the American Gladiolus Society, as expressed in the latest ballot of the members of this Society. Cultural Directions included with all shipments.

## You May Choose Individual Varieties or Order Complete Collection.

**PICARDY**—The sensation of the Gladiolus world and winner of the highest symposium vote. Soft shrimp pink. Florets up to seven inches across, many open at once. Sold two years ago for \$2.00 a bulb. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00.

**MINUET**—The finest of its color; see color illustration on opposite page. 15c each; 3 for 25c; 6 for 40c; 12 for 65c; 100 for \$3.50.

**MARMORA**—Exquisite flower; unusual lavender-gray, with bright petunia spot. Many flowers open at once. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 6 for 30c; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$2.75.

**BETTY NUTHALL**—Always a Prize Winner. Glowing orange-pink with soft yellow throat. Florets sometimes six inches across, eight or more florets open at once on the same spike. As many as five spikes to a single bulb. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 6 for 30c; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$2.75.

**W. H. PHIPPS**—Received highest vote for several years and still one of the five best. Gorgeous salmon pink; very large flowers, many open at once. My own special favorite. If I could have but one Gladiolus it would be W. H. Phipps. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 6 for 30c; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$2.75.

**COMMANDER KOEHL**—The world's finest red variety. A gorgeous flower, large, tall and stately. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 6 for 80c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

**MOTHER MACHREE**—Invincible lavender, with glints of salmon and gold and a delightful yellow area at the throat. 25c each; 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00.

**PFITZER'S TRIUMPH**—Enormous salmon-orange flowers. Winner of innumerable prizes. Best in its class. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 6 for 30c; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$2.75.

**DR. F. E. BENNETT**—A grand variety and dependable prize winner. Unexcelled brilliant scarlet. Gigantic flowers, many open at once. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 6 for 30c; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$2.75.

**MRS. LEON DOUGLAS**—Magnificent begonia-rose, flaked scarlet. One of the largest and showiest of all gladiolus. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 6 for 30c; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$2.75.

**ALBATROSS**—The world's best white, absolutely pure; gigantic flowers on tall spikes, many open at once. Received highest vote of all whites. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 6 for 80c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

**GOLDEN DREAM**—Rich golden yellow. Proclaimed the world's best yellow by receiving the highest number of votes of all yellows. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 6 for 30c; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$2.75.

**MAMMOTH WHITE**—A gorgeous white, with a beautiful cream throat. Gigantic flowers, even larger than Albatross. 20c each; 3 for 50c; 6 for 80c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00.

**AFLAME**—A flaming scarlet of the finest Primulinus-Grandiflorus type. Gigantic spikes and blooms and a magnificent flower. 15c each; 3 for 25c; 6 for 40c; 12 for 65c; 100 for \$3.50.

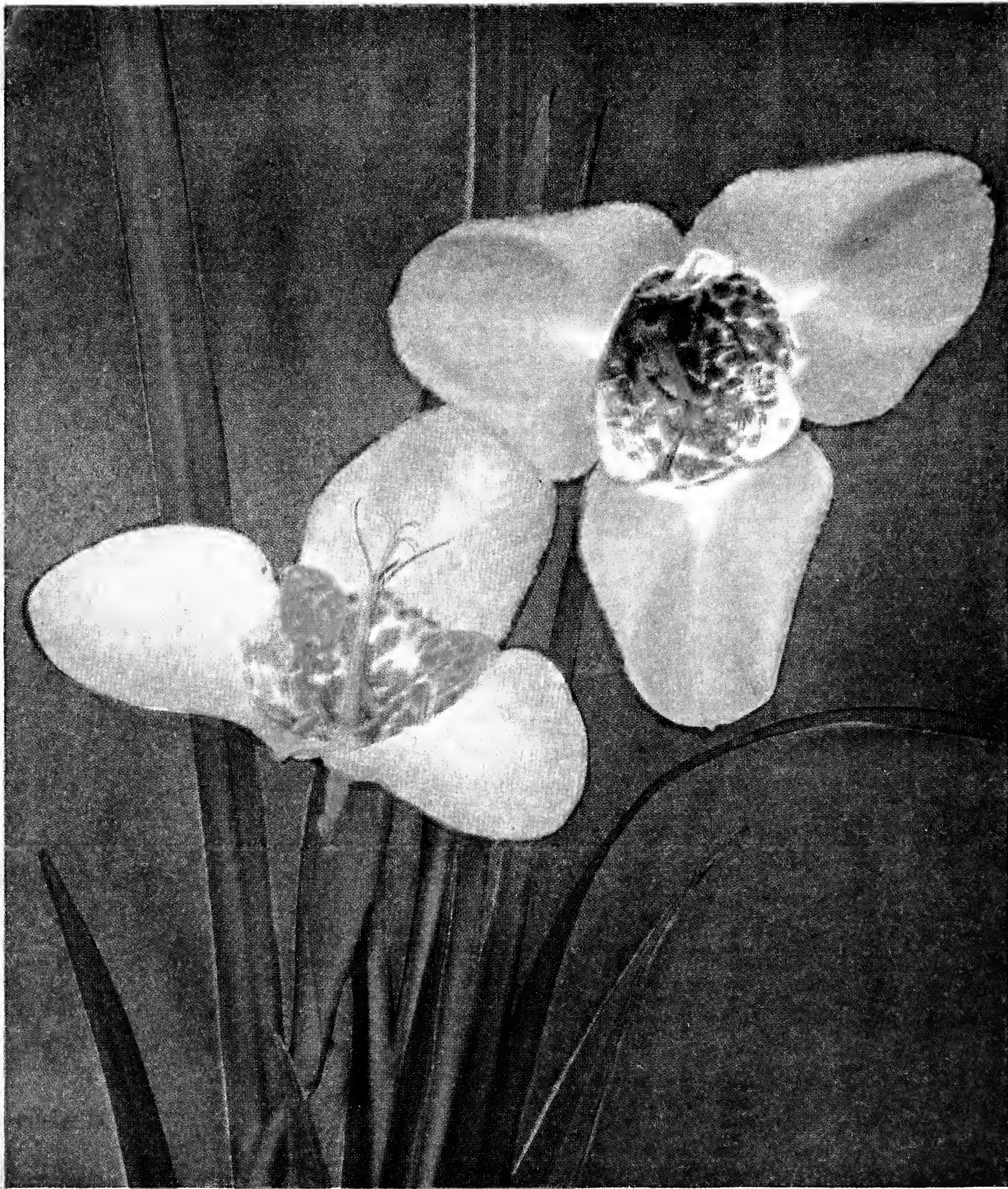
**EMILIE AUBRUN**—Immense flowers of rich rose red, suffused blue, with brilliant carmine spot at throat. 10c each; 3 for 20c; 6 for 30; 12 for 50c; 100 for \$2.75.

1 Each of These 15 World's Best Gladiolus, Labelled . . .	\$ 1.75
3 of Each, Total 45 Bulbs . . . . .	3.50
6 of Each, Total 90 Bulbs . . . . .	5.75
12 of Each, Total 180 Bulbs . . . . .	8.50
25 of Each, Total 375 Bulbs . . . . .	15.00
100 of Each, Total 1500 Bulbs . . . . .	50.00

All Labelled, All Fine, Plump, Healthy Flowering-Size Bulbs.

All Gladiolus Orders Over \$2.00 Delivered Anywhere in the U. S., Charges Prepaid. On orders under \$2.00 please add 15c to cover postage and packing.





## **Tigridia Pavonia (Mexican Tiger Flower)**

(Also known as Mexican Shell Flower)

I offer the most wonderful hybrids in the world, of this very showy flower. The many color variations range from yellow and orange to vivid crimson. All shades are beautifully spotted with quaint leopard-like spots of crimson maroon at the throat over a light ground. They are very rare, indescribably beautiful, of the most exotic appearance and never fail to attract attention. Height about two feet.

Tigridias do well in any fairly dry soil and are quite easy to grow. Just plant the bulbs in the spring. In the fall, dig and store like gladiolus.

6 Mexican Tiger Flower Bulbs, Assorted Colors, \$1.25  
12 Bulbs for \$2.00                      100 Bulbs for \$15.00



# Hardy Perennial Plants

**H** ARDY Perennials form the backbone of the American Flower Garden, because when once planted they can be depended upon to flower profusely year after year, growing more beautiful each year. They are easy to grow, requiring less care than annuals or other garden plants. You just plant them and then leave them undisturbed for years. They give a permanence to the flower garden and by selecting different kinds you may enjoy a display throughout the entire growing season. With the addition of Perennials an ever-blooming border is easily created. They are also useful along walks and paths, or for edging a foundation planting. Many are especially adapted to the rock garden, while others are particularly useful in the cutting garden.

I am listing below a few choice varieties that are hardy anywhere and are sure to give satisfaction. The plants sent will be large, healthy, two-year field-grown specimens, with masses of fibrous roots, ready to produce flowers immediately.

Perennials should never be planted singly for best effect, but always in clumps of several plants of a variety, or in masses.

**AQUILEGIA (Columbine)**—(2 Ft.) Every gardener loves the dainty Columbines. The Long-Spurred Hybrids I offer are a great improvement over the older varieties. There is a wide range of delicate soft colors and rich pastel shades. Assorted colors.

6 for \$1.25      12 for \$2.25

**ARTEMESIA SILVER KING**—(3 Ft.) A striking plant, with frosted silvery-white foliage. Beautiful for setting off bouquets or floral pieces and especially effective in the garden.

3 for \$1.00      6 for \$1.50      12 for \$2.50

**BLEEDING HEARTS (Dicentra)**—(2 Ft.) Lovely reminders of old-fashioned gardens, with their long racemes of graceful heart-shaped flowers.

3 for \$1.50      6 for \$2.50      12 for \$4.50

**CANTERBURY BELLS (Campanula)**—(2 Ft.) Extremely showy bell-shaped flowers in a lovely blue color; also a snow white. One color or assorted.

3 for 75c      6 for \$1.25      12 for \$2.25

**CHINESE LANTERN (Physalis)** (2 Ft.) These very interesting plants form attractive orange-colored lantern-like fruit, which, when cut will last all winter and are extremely decorative.

3 for 75c;      6 for \$1.25      12 for \$2.25

**DELPHINIUMS (Gold Medal English Hybrids)**—These hybrids produce huge spikes 4 to 5 ft. high, studded with blooms. The colors range through blue, mauve and pink. The gigantic plants we are offering this season should sell for \$1.00 each, but we have an extra fine large stock and are making a special price inducement.

3 for \$1.50      6 for \$2.50      12 for \$4.50

**HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUMS**—This very fine group of flowers is indispensable in the garden due to their very late flowering. They will be the last flowers in bloom in your garden. The varieties listed below are selected for their extreme hardiness and ease of culture.

**JEAN CUMMINGS**—The best white.

**FRANCES WHITTLESEY**—Rich bronze and garnet.

**OCTOBER GIRL**—Rose pink, shaded lavender.

**VIVID**—American Beauty Rose color.

**HARVEST MOON**—Large golden yellow.

**PETITE LOUISE**—Large soft pink.

One Color or Assorted, as you wish.

6 for \$1.50      12 for \$2.50

**FOXGLOVES (Digitalis)**—I offer a select strain of hybrids in mixed colors. Nothing is more attractive for a shady spot in the garden, or for a woodland planting, than these Hardy



Gold Medal Hybrid Delphiniums

Hybrid Foxgloves. The colors range from white to shell pink and deep rose, with many spotted crimson and brown. Assorted colors.

3 for \$1.00      6 for \$1.50      12 for \$2.50

**EUPATORIUM COELESTINUM (Hardy Ageratum)**—12 in. Lovely fluffy light purple flowers from August until frost.

3 for 75c;      6 for \$1.25      12 for \$2.25

**FUNKIA SUBCORDATA GRANDIFLORA ALBA**—Rare and unusual. Very large, snow white, lily-shaped flowers. Exquisitely fragrant.

3 for \$1.00      6 for \$1.50      12 for \$2.50

**GAILLARDIA**—18 in. Daisy-shaped orange yellow flowers, banded with red. Flower freely all summer and fall.

3 for 75c      6 for \$1.25      12 for \$2.25

**PAINTED DAISY (Pyrethrum)**—Many shades of red, pink and white. Mixed colors only. Very pretty.

3 for \$1.00      6 for \$1.50      12 for \$2.50

**GIANT MALLOWS**—(3 ft.) Gigantic flowers as large as a saucer, in red, pink and white, freely produced throughout the summer.

3 for \$1.00      6 for \$1.50      12 for \$2.50

**HARDY SWEET PEAS (Lathyrus)**. These very interesting vines die down in the winter and make new rugged growth each spring and summer. They are covered with clusters of pink and red flowers, with an occasional white variety.

3 for \$1.00      6 for \$1.50      12 for \$2.50

**HARDY PHLOX**—Nothing is more useful or showy in the summer flower garden than the Hardy Phlox. They flower from July until October. This collection includes white, pink, red, lavender and other colors, mixed, but not labelled as to color. It is a superb collection.

6 for \$2.00      12 for \$3.00

**TRITOMA HYBRIDS (Torch Lily or Red Hot Poker)**—These hybrids include pale yellows to deep orange and scarlet. They are very showy and effective in the garden when planted in masses of 6 or more.

6 for \$1.50      12 for \$2.50

**VIOLA, JERSEY GEM**—The best of the violas, as large as pansies. Exquisitely fragrant. Pure rich violet.

3 for 75c      6 for \$1.25      12 for \$2.25



# Enjoy 12 Months of Beautiful Iris Bloom

Why be Satisfied with a Few Weeks of Iris Bloom, when you can enjoy these beautiful "Daughters of the Rainbow" from spring until frost and then on through the winter. I have arranged the following 12 collections in the order in which they bloom, for a complete succession of flowers throughout the year. You may order the entire 12 collections, or only such groups as you may need to complete a full season of Iris

bloom in your own garden.

Each collection contains the very cream of a definite Iris Group, personally selected by me to cover the widest possible color range. Every Plant Will Be Carefully Labelled and all will be strong, healthy, flowering size plants. You will be pleased with these carefully planned collections. Postpaid anywhere in the U.S. Cultural Directions accompany all shipments.

## Collection No. 1 — RETICULATA IRIS The First Flowers of Springtime

Blossoms in March in our Northern States, Right Through Snow and Ice. (A month earlier in the South.) A rare prize for the Rock Garden, or any other spot where a mass of early flowers is wanted. Color, rich royal purple, with lovely golden veining at the throat. Violet scented. Rugged and easily grown. Free flowering, on 12 inch stalks. Four-sided, square, grass-like foliage. Hardy anywhere. I know of a clump that has flowered undisturbed for 50 years in a New England garden. A dozen or more bulbs should be planted together, about two inches apart.

12 Rare Reticulata Iris for .....\$2.00

## Collection No. 2—LOVELY MINIATURE IRIS FOR THE ROCK GARDEN

Also Useful for Edging Small Beds and Borders, etc.

These Miniature Jewels follow the Crocus and Iris Reticulata in bloom during the early spring. They are prodigious bloomers and have all of the characteristics of the Tall Bearded Iris, but on a smaller scale. In height these little gems range from 6 to 10 inches. This collection will contain 15 plants in at least six choice varieties, carefully selected to cover the color range, including a lovely rich wine shade, an exquisite soft sky blue, a glistening snow white, a rich golden yellow, a deep velvety purple, etc. A treasure collection for the rock garden, or for planting in front of the taller Irises, or for the front of the perennial border. Hardy anywhere.

15 Lovely Miniature Rock Garden Gems, in at least 6 Choice Varieties for only .....\$2.00

## Collection No. 3—POGOCYCLUS HYBRIDS

This race contains many of the most handsome Iris in the world and this collection contains only the finest of them; including Wm. Mohr, the very best and highest rated of all. Only a few years ago Wm. Mohr sold for \$25. for a single plant. The Pogocyclus Hybrids follow the Miniatures in bloom, flowering throughout May in our Northern states (a month earlier in the south) and continue until the next group comes into flower. These Pogocyclus Hybrids are very rare and are as different from all other Iris as though they belonged to another planet; even the varieties themselves differing greatly from each other. All are hardy anywhere and as beautiful as the finest orchids.

5 Magnificent Pogocyclus Hybrid Iris All Different, including Wm. Mohr \$2.00

## Collection No. 4—EARLY-FLOWERING IRIS ARISTOCRATS

English, French and American Hybridizers have helped to prolong the Iris season by producing this Early Flowering race of Tall Bearded Iris Aristocrats. They are easy to grow and hardy anywhere. They follow the Pogocyclus Hybrids in bloom and will come into full flower in your garden while your neighbors are still looking for buds on their Iris. Each variety is a Masterpiece; one was introduced recently at \$40.00 a plant; another sold recently at \$25.00 for a single plant. Each one is a different color. One of them is the deepest colored Iris grown, so intense that it seems to be dripping with color; and so velvety that the entire flower seems to be cut out of the finest plush. They are all large and handsome.

10 Early-Flowering Iris Aristocrats, No Two Alike .....\$2.00

## Collection No. 5—SURPRISE COLLECTION OF MAGNIFICENT TALL BEARDED IRIS

These follow the Early Aristocrats in bloom, and are the best known of all the Iris Groups. A real surprise awaits you in this collection. It contains some of the world's highest rated varieties, winners on the show benches and in the garden. ONE IS A WINNER OF THREE MEDALS, the only Iris so honored. There is a lovely bronze blend, an exquisite orchid pink, a brilliant fiery red, a gigantic fragrant lavender, and other equally striking and unusual varieties. You will be amazed at the marvelous beauty of some of these latest creations of the Iris world. Hardy anywhere.

10 Magnificent Beauties, all different \$2.00

## Collection No. 6—THE WORLD'S FINEST SIBERIAN IRIS

This is the finest set of Siberian Iris obtainable anywhere in the world at any price. I will include in this collection several varieties that sold recently for \$5.00 and \$10.00 for a single plant. Many eminent authorities consider the Siberian Iris the finest of the Iris family. They are prodigious bloomers and make excellent cut flowers. A single plant will soon form an established clump that will produce 50 or more flower stalks. In form they differ from all other Iris. Devote a spot in your garden to these lovely Siberian Iris: they will fill it with beauty. They are the easiest of all Iris to grow and may be planted anywhere in the garden, either in full sun or semi-shade.

10 Superb Siberian Iris, All Different, Properly Labelled for.....\$2.00

## Collection No. 7—CRESTED IRIS

This group is distinguished by a prominent crest, similar to a cock's comb, which extends down the centre of the falls. The crest is composed of the same material as the balance of the petals and is sometimes beautifully frilled and one of the attractions of this group. This collection will include Tectorum, the famous blue "Roof Iris" of China and Japan; Cristata, a lovely, fragrant, amethyst-blue Miniature for a semi-shady pocket in the rock garden, or any other semi-shady position in the garden; Cristata Alba, a white form; and Gracilipes, a lovely pinkish-lavender Japanese Miniature.

4 Beautiful Crested Iris, All different \$1.75

## COLLECTION No. 8—BEARDLESS IRIS SPECIES AND HYBRIDS Rare and Graceful Flowers

For continuation of the Iris Flowering Season, nothing is more important than these marvelous and little known Beardless Iris Species and Hybrids; for they fill in the gap in the flowering season between the Tall Bearded Iris and the Japanese Iris.

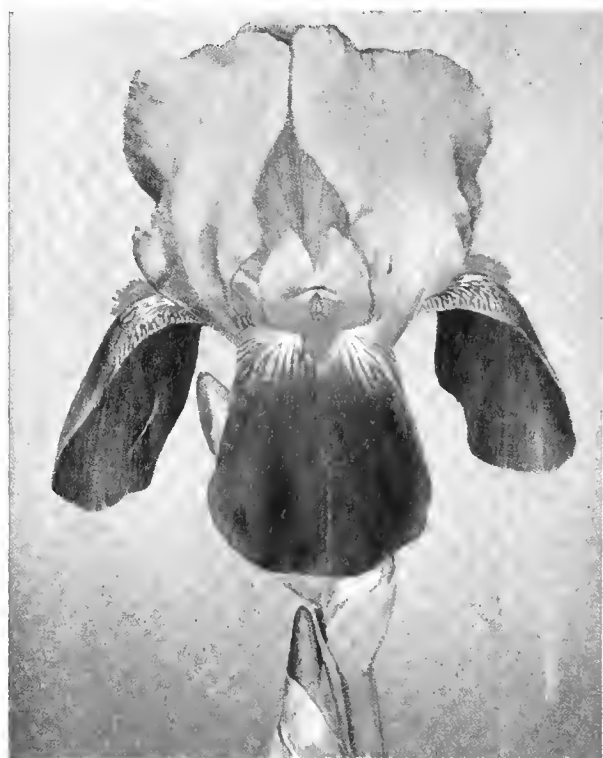
The flowers are ideal for cutting, being interesting in form, vivid in coloring, and permitting of graceful arrangement. They are not only different from all other Iris, but each variety has an individual distinction all its own. This collection includes a burnished metallic copper color, a rich Royal Purple, a lovely soft blue, a deep yellow, a fine red, an unusual soft pink, a lovely white and gold, and others equally distinctive. This collection will also include the famous newly discovered Louisiana Species Gigaticerulea, which just two years ago sold at \$5.00 for a single plant.

10 Magnificent Beauties, all different \$3.00

## Collection No. 9—SUMMER-BLOOMING JAPANESE IRIS

These gorgeous beauties follow the Beardless Species and Hybrids in bloom. They are the showiest of all Iris and produce a marvelous color effect just when flowers are scarce. Many will produce flowers as large as a dinner plate. This collection will be personally selected by me and planned so as to give you a complete color range. There will be giant singles and doubles; mottled, striped and blended effects; soft pastel colors and gorgeously brilliant ones. None of your favorites will be omitted. They are prodigious bloomers and hardy anywhere.

8 Gorgeous Japanese Iris, Marvels of the Iris Family, All Different.....\$2.00



Iris "Ambassadeur" Included in Collection No. 5

## Collection No. 10—IRIS DICHOTOMA (Rare Chinese Species)

This is one of the rarest and most interesting of all Iris. Blossoms for a full four weeks during midsummer; an established plant will produce hundreds of lovely soft bluish-violet flowers in a single season. Height 30 to 36 in.

IRIS DICHOTOMA, Each.....\$1.00

## Collection No. 11—AUTUMN-FLOWERING IRIS

A few years ago there were no Autumn-Flowering Iris. This new race is one of the recent triumphs of the hybridizer's skill. They blossom twice a year, once in the spring and again quite profusely in the fall, from Sept. until frost. In this collection I will include four distinct colors, a rich blue, a fine yellow, a snow white and a bright purple. You may now have a garden full of Irises in the FALL, as well as other seasons.

Four Colors, One Each, for.....\$2.00

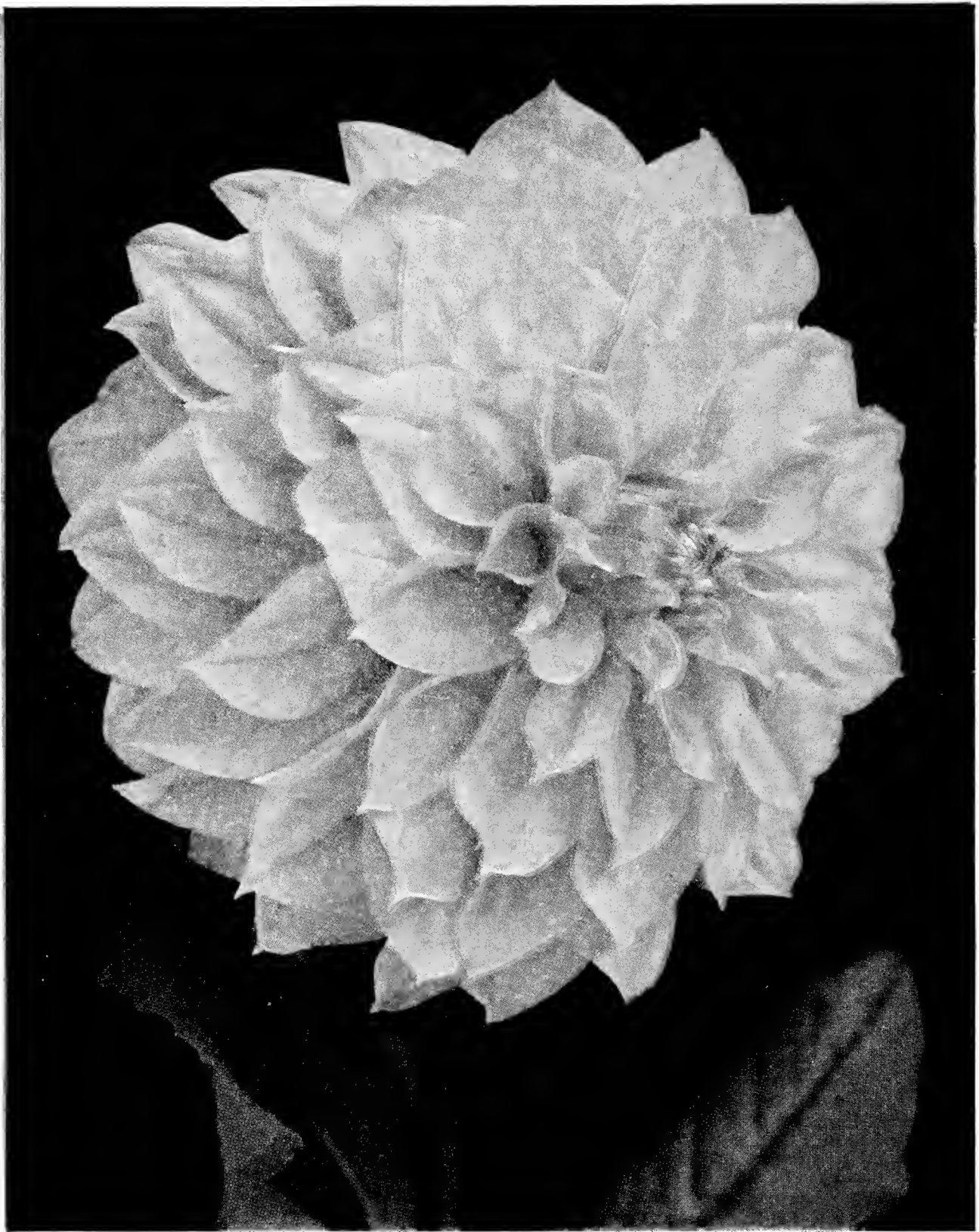
## Collection No. 12—WINTER-FLOWERING IRIS

This interesting Species, Ungicularis (also called Stylosa) is from Algeria, Asia Minor and Northern Syria. Flowers all winter long in open in Southern States; or in protection of cold frame in North, or in protected spot in garden. Withstands zero weather out of doors; easy to grow. Color is a lovely blue.

4 Winter-Blooming Iris for.....\$2.00

**Grand All-Year Round Collection, Consisting of All of the Above 12 Groups for . . . \$22.00**





# **Jersey's Beauty**

## **The Most Popular of Decorative Dahlias**

Jersey's Beauty with a rating of 87 is undoubtedly the most popular of the Decorative Dahlias. It is especially in favor as a cut flower. The blooms are about 6 inches in diameter, borne on stalks over 6 ft. high.

The color is a beautiful clear pink, ideal for exhibition as well as for home decoration. The flowers are of perfect form, borne on long, strong stems. They keep exceptionally well. They appear early and there is a continuous succession through a long season.

Jersey's Beauty is typical of the great group of Formal Decorative Dahlias.

Flowers belonging to this group have broad, flat and nearly straight rays, arranged fairly regularly. The floral rays may be either pointed or rounded; often the outer rows are slightly recurved. The Formal Decoratives have been great favorites in the show room and Jersey's Beauty is a great favorite of florists for cut flowers.

# The Cream of the World's Best Decorative Dahlias

## CAREFULLY SELECTED—ATTRACTIVELY PRICED

I have selected for this list the very cream of hundreds of choice varieties of Decorative Dahlias. They are constant prize-winners, striking as cut flowers and stunning in the garden. All of these will produce large showy blooms of exquisite beauty. If you are a Dahlia enthusiast you will wish to round out your collection by adding the varieties you do not already have. If you are a beginner I am sure you could not do better than to order this entire collection, at the special collection price given at the end of this list. One single tuber of some of these varieties has recently sold for as much as I am asking for the entire collection.

**AVALON**—A very fine deep, clear canary yellow. Distinct and pleasing and one of the best of its color. 25c.

**BLUE GEM**—A magnificent new blue-toned variety. Very unusual color. 50c.

**CALVIN COOLIDGE**—Rich rose-pink, suffused salmon, with each petal distinctly edged gold. A magnificent variety. 50c.

**CHEMAR'S EUREKA**—One of the best whites. A very large flower of great beauty. 35c.

**ELLINOR VANDERVEER**—An incomparable Dahlia of exquisite beauty and immense size. Color glowing lavender-pink. 35c.

**FRANCIS LAROCCO**—One of the finest. Clear crystalline yellow. Always loaded with flowers. 35c.

**JACK ROSE**—Brilliant crimson; the color of the rose after which it is named. Free flowering. 25c.

**JANE COWL**—Monster flowers of glistening bronzy-buff and old-gold, deeper towards the center. Reverse of petals pale flesh. A magnificent variety that has won prizes everywhere. Gigantic flowers. 35c.

**JEAN KERR**—A fine white variety much used by florists. An excellent cut flower and magnificent in the garden. 35c.

**JERSEY'S BEACON**—One of the finest of all Dahlias. Of gigantic size and unusual Chinese Scarlet coloring. Sometimes nearly a foot across. 35c.

**JERSEY'S BEAUTY**—See illustration on opposite page. 25c.

**KENTUCKY**—A magnificent sport of Jersey's Beauty, with flowers of salmon-pink, shading to orange. Extra fine. 50c.

**MONMOUTH CHAMPION**—Sold for \$5. in 1932 and is one of the best new Dahlias. A brilliant orange-flame color, with an unusual glistening surface. 50c.

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6 Giant, Showy, Decorative Dahlias, My Selection  
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While I cannot tell in advance the exact contents of each collection, I guarantee that you will receive much more than your money's worth, and will be well pleased, because each collection will contain some of the very choicest varieties.

Each variety will be distinctive, no two alike, and each collection will contain a good range of colors. I sell only fine, strong sound tubers, that will give you large, handsome flowers this season. Each tuber will be carefully labelled.

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A Vase of Pompon Dahlias

the dazzling array of beauties that will go into this collection, but space will not permit. All will be carefully labelled.

**8 Lovely Tom Thumb Pompons, Strong Tubers, for \$1.75**

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For added interest, and variety, I will include one or more hybrid cactus types, sometimes called Informal Decoratives. They have flat petals, slightly twisted at the tips and are interesting for their great beauty of color and form.

This collection is absolutely essential to a well-rounded dahlia display. It will give variety and interest to your dahlia planting. The colors range through salmon, pink, primrose yellow, pale lemon, old rose and gold, deep maroon and other beautiful tones.

I guarantee a good range of colors in every collection.

All the varieties in this collection will be unusually handsome and distinctive. All will be carefully labelled.

**6 Magnificent Cactus and Hybrid Cactus Dahlias for \$1.50**

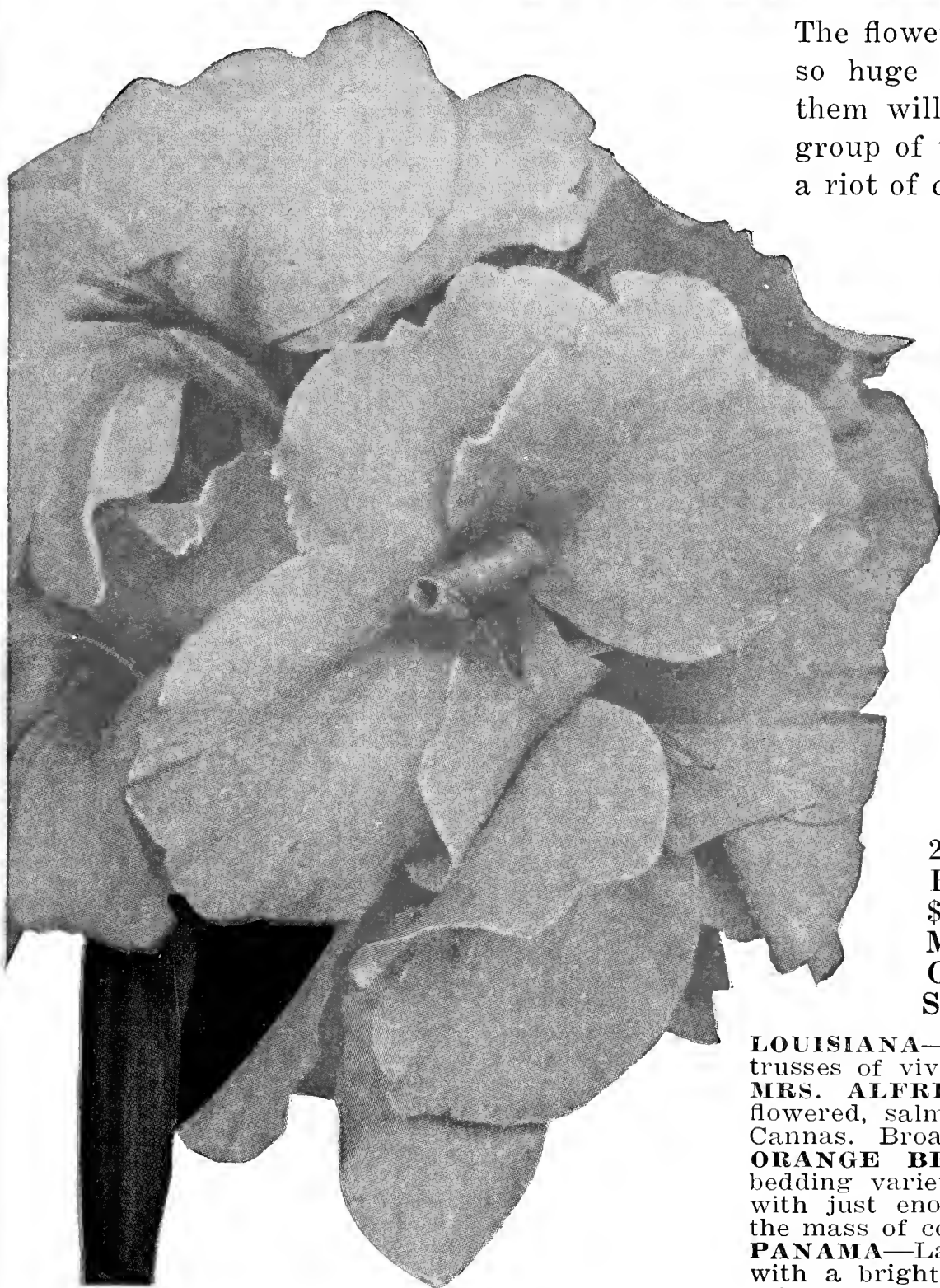
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**A TYPICAL CACTUS DAHLIA**  
One of the most interesting of Dahlia types, lending itself to free, informal effects.



# Giant-Flowered CANNAS



The flowers of these Modern Cannas are so huge and showy that one stalk of them will make a big bouquet; while a group of them in the garden will provide a riot of color, tropical in its exuberance.

The foliage is extremely ornamental, being green in some varieties and bronze in others. They are very easy to grow. The Plants I will send will produce large handsome flowers this summer, and will continue to bloom right through the summer and fall, until the tops are killed by frost. Then they are dug and stored like gladiolus. Read the brief descriptions below and place your order immediately, as early planting is desirable.

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**KING HUMBERT**—Immense heads of coppery-scarlet flowers with bronze foliage. 5 ft.

**KING MIDAS**—The finest brilliant pure yellow Canna originated to date. A real aristocrat. Height 5 ft.

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**THE PRESIDENT**—A gorgeous variety with immense trusses of bright red flowers the individual florets of which measure more than six inches across. Very profuse bloomer. One of the best. 4 ft.

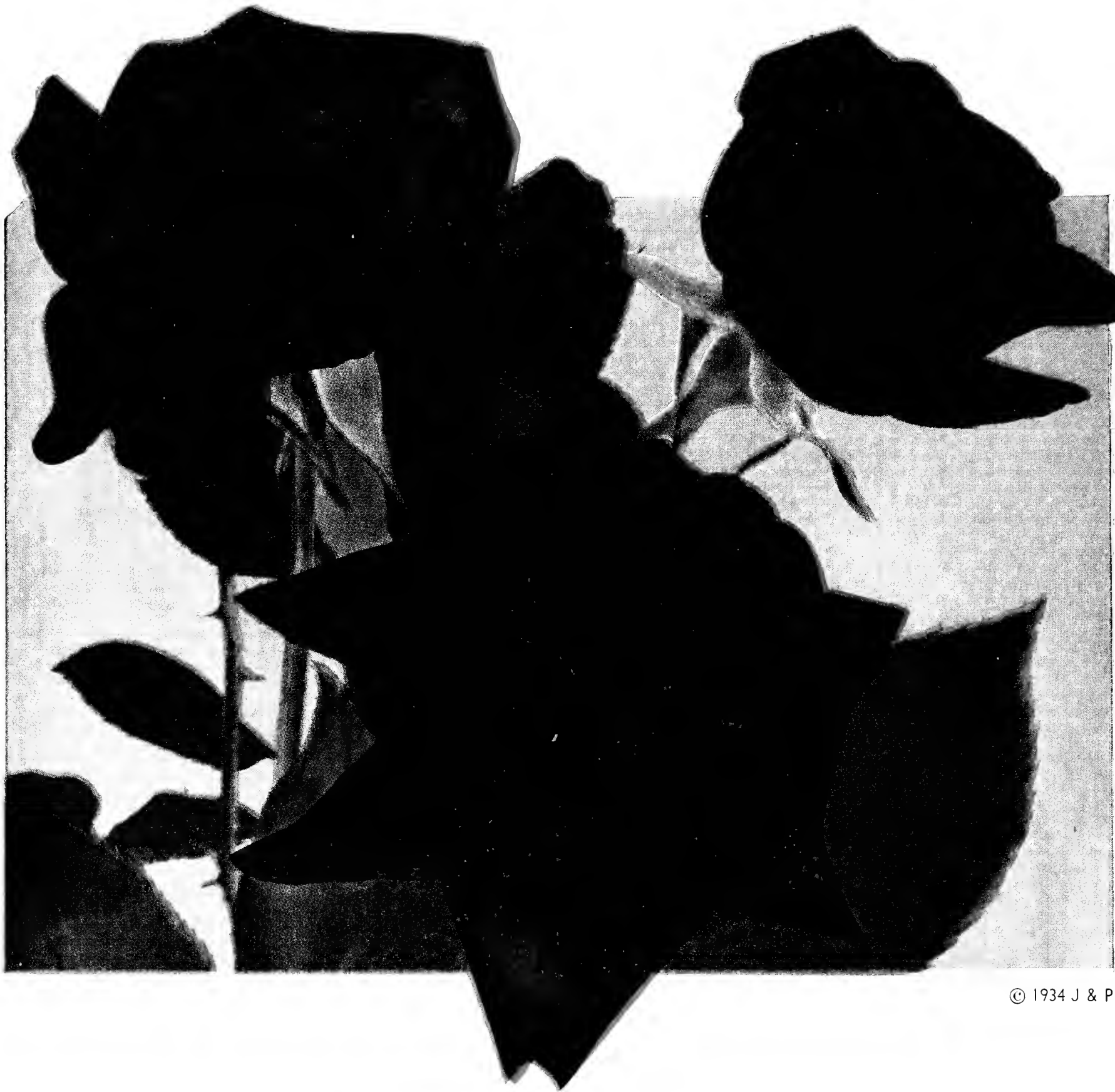
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# Nigrette Rose

## "The Black Rose of Sangerhausen"



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Offered to the public for the first time in 1935. This is the rose you have been reading so much about in the newspapers during the past two years. Its color is very much like "The Black Tulip" and from a little distance it would seem to be dead black. However, its real color is a very rich blackish-maroon, overlaid with a black velvety sheen. The color plates of course cannot show its real beauty. It is an Everblooming Hybrid Tea, flowering profusely throughout a long season. The color increases in depth as the season advances, attaining its greatest perfection in Autumn. This is a sensational new rose that you and your friends will greatly admire.

Extra Fine Strong Plants, Nigrette Rose, Plant Patent No. 87  
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## NEW PATENTED EVERBLOOMING CLIMBERS

These new Everblooming Climbing Roses are now a proven success. They have all the beauty and charm of the June Bloomers, in addition to having a flowering season extending from June well into October. No matter how many Climbing Roses you have you will want some of these new Patented Everblooming varieties.

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